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POST-CLOSURE PERMIT APPLICATION REVISION IS TECHNICALLY COMPLETE  
FOR OCCIDENTAL OF ELK HILLS, INC. 27R HAZARDOUS WASTE TRENCH UNIT,  
ELK HILLS, KERN COUNTY, CALIFORNIA EPA ID CA4170024414

Dear Mr. Gough:

Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) staff have reviewed revisions to the Post-Closure Permit Application (Application) cover letter dated February 8, 2008. The Application revisions adequately address previous Notice of Deficiencies identified by DTSC. DTSC has determined the Application to be technically complete.

DTSC will begin the public notice period shortly. If you have any questions about these comments, please call me at (916) 255-3602.

Sincerely,

//Original signed by//

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